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In re application of: Galen C. Hunt

Application No. 09/197,080

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Confirmation No. 9889

For: NETWORK-INDEPENDENT PROFILING
OF APPLICATIONS FOR AUTOMATIC
PARTITIONING AND DISTRIBUTION IN
A DISTRIBUTED COMPUTING
ENVIRONMENT (AS AMENDED)

Examiner: Haresh N. Patel

Art Unit: 2126

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

This responds to the final Office action dated June 30, 2004.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2.

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